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The Allied offensive continues along the western front and the Germans are giving ground in several sectors. Royce has been taken, and Noyon will soon be in possession of the Allies.

The Canadian contingent for service in Siberia is being rapidly enlisted and equipped for overseas.

R. M. of Stewart, No. 302

The 6th Council Meeting was held in Consort, last month. Councillors present: R. C. Bowman, H. Peterson, T. H. Nond, B. R. Cramer, and Thos Partridge.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved of.

The Secty was asked to mail the new crop report forms to the Ratepayers who had already sent in the first report of their crop.

The following resolution was passed and sent to the Department of Agriculture: "That owing to the crop failure in this Municipality, we beg to urge upon the Government the great necessity of providing seed grain and other relief to settlers in this district."

H. Peterson was unanimously elected Deputy Reeve, for the balance of the year.

Next Council meeting will be held at Monitor on August 28th. Notice to Ratepayers who have not sent in their crop reports for 1918. Sec. 13 Hail Ins. Act. TAKE NOTICE that this year you must report on all the land assessed to you whether in crop or not. Any person who fails to send any return required of him by this Act or who makes a return that is willfully false or misleading shall be deemed guilty of an offence and shall be liable to a fine of not less than ten or more than fifty dollars."

J. H. Norton, Sec-Treas.

RED CROSS

Aug. 16th. Members present 13. Work handed in: Mrs. Purdy 12 cotton binders, Mrs. Evans 1 pr sox, Mrs. Ullary 49 towels 10 binders, Mrs. Tarr 10 flannel binders, Mrs. Vosburgh 5 flannel binders, Mrs. Deadmarsh 2 pr sox, M. Dendmarsh and Alice Deadmarsh each 1 face cloth 6 hos. handkfs.

Work finished at meeting. 11 flannel binders, 40 towels, 4 hos handkfs. New member, Mrs. Bergman. A bale was sent to headquarters containing 93 towels, 32 flannel binders, 22 cotton binders, 6 pr sox, 2 face cloths, 8 pillow cases, 15 hankfs.

The Treasurer acknowledges with thanks the receipt of \$15, being proceeds of school concert held June 26.

Everyone must recognize the pressing need for Red Cross work just now; yet for the past few weeks the attendance at meetings has been as low as five and seven. Three hours a week is very little to spend on this work, and we can all do it if we want to. Will all the ladies in town make a special effort to be present at the meetings so that the work may go on as fast as possible? Those in the country deserve special mention for the amount of work they are doing at present.

The local horse, 'Monitor Boy' took second money, at Coronation Fair, in the 2.40 trot.

Pte Ray Barnes, Strathcona Horse, is home on furlough.

The price of a 'Henry Ford' got another jolt, last week, and \$95 more was tacked on to that particular class of buz wagons. With the increase of freight rates liable to be put a few cents more on gasoline that old bogey 'high cost of living' looms up again on the horizon.

Town Council

RESERVED
W. H. Olson
COUNCILLORS
H. J. McGill W. G. MacKenzie
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Council meets 1st Monday each month

School Board

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Presbyterian and Methodist

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Lone..... 3 p.m.
Monitor..... 7.30 p.m.
Monitor Sunday School. 10 a.m.
REV. S. B. McVAY

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Kirriemuir Every Sunday
Sunday School 11 a.m.
Service 8 p.m.
Gregerson Every Sunday
Service 3 p.m.

Rev. W. H. Day, Kirriemuir

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THE BRITISH STRATEGY OF FOCH SMASHED VICTORY FOR THE HUMS

THE WILL AND SKILL THAT SAVED THE ALLIES

How Generalissimo Foch, the Hero of the Marne, By Quick Thinking and Acting, Defeated a Powerful Attack in the Fateful Days of November, 1914

One again Generalissimo Foch is the hero of the Marne and the same Foch who declared, "I am persuaded that the only way to make war is to attack." Foch, through master of his craft, he is at ease in all contingencies, in the most critical conjunctures. Witness the coolness and deliberation with which he sat down, while the Huns were hammering at his gates, and planned and executed a counter-offensive that has knocked the Huns off his feet and wrestled from the foe the initiative, probably never to be lost again.

And the anomalous fact is that Foch is a cadet. His military genius was nurtured in the College de Guerre more than on the field of battle or manoeuvre. His mind was so trained through so many years of study, says Major Requin of the French general staff in The World's War, that no war situation could disturb him. In the most difficult ones he quickly pointed out the goal to be reached and the means to employ, and each one of the French general staff felt that it must be right.

For it was during the great events of August and September, 1914, that Marshal Joffre realized what a valuable second Foch was to be to him. In the month of August, 1914, he commanded the 20th corps in Lorraine. He displayed such qualifications that three months later he was given the command of an army. It was at the moment when Joffre was preparing his manoeuvre of the Marne. Did Joffre already have a presentiment of the events which were to take place in the centre of the French lines, when he put in, not so much new forces, as a new force, the great chief that he had foreseen in Foch?

It is essential to state the part which Foch played before and during this battle. As usual his arrival upon this new front on October 4 marked the return of confidence. There could then be no looking back, no doubting oneself, or doubting one's troops. We examined with him the whole battle front in the morning of October 4, and I still recall that brief command which he dictated in the Rue d'Aubigny near Arras, to his staff officer.

"It is absolutely forbidden to abandon a position no matter what the situation may be, before being ejected by a regular attack of the enemy."

And signing this order himself on the officer's note book, in the presence of the commander of the army, Foch made a gesture which, for those that knew him well, meant that such an order would not be repeated.

The morning of October 4 had sufficed him to instill into everyone great and small, his confidence and energy.

The 10th French army was, by successive reinforcements, going to form north of Arras.

The British army would take as its direction the north of Lille. It is at this moment that the fall of Antwerp occurred, followed by the appearance of the 4th German Army in Belgium.

From the first instant Foch guessed the meaning of the German manoeuvre and took steps to make it fail.

The German staff wanted the decision of the war to be decided by the naval bases of Dunkirk, Calais and Boulogne, just as it has done today, and sought to overcome the left wing of the allies.

The German offensive comprised two attacks to be conducted parallel to one another. The one, with a base of heavy artillery afforded by the German troops coming from Antwerp, would crush what remained of the Belgian army and would occupy our ports. The other, constantly reinforced by the fourth army, would endeavor by way of Ypres to reach the heights of Kemmel, Cassel, and the overflow the Anglo-French line.

It was therefore a matter for Foch to raise a wall before both these attacks and to smother them. The decisive victory which would be obtained later depended on this. His first action was that of re-establishing a liaison with the Belgian army and to reinforce it so as to prolong the front to the sea.

Upon the still empty space stretching between the sea and the Humber, he formed a few strong centres, such as Ypres and Dixmude; then connected them by filling in the spaces with the available Anglo-French troops.

While he was improvising this new front he sent ahead all the available French and British cavalry to reconnoitre and check the enemy's advance.

From October 23 to November 12 the battle raged. The Germans concentrated as many as fifteen army corps between the sea and the Humber, but all their assaults failed before the energy of the allied troops.

The Kaiser was there reiterating to his troops the command to enter

Ypres November 1. He had numerical superiority, material superiority and that superiority which is given by the organization of one homogeneous army. Foch's army comprised French, British, Belgians, cavalrymen on foot without bayonets, old territorials and sailors little accustomed to fight on land.

But, with all these odds and ends, Foch, by a prodigy of energy, had made one single army, giving them one single spirit. The Kaiser's will, supported by fifteen German army corps carefully trained, failed before the superior will of Foch, chief of a coalition army, organized during the battle. For the second time after the Marne, the allies were saved.

Shot At By Comrades

Escaped Prisoners Had an Exciting Time Reaching Their Own Lines

How British soldiers, who were captured in the fighting near St. Quentin, afterwards escaped, is told in a letter from Private A. McGow, attached to the Camerons, McGow who was at Mons, and writes: "Seventy-four of us were captured, and we were marched to a siding. We were made to strip and attire ourselves in old German clothes."

"When darkness came six of us jumped into a number of transport wagons that were going up the German lines with rations, and when near Jussy we crept over the old iron bridge that had been blown up by our fellows, and got past the German outpost. We made our way to wards the Camerons, and, being in German clothing, our men fired at us. I was hit on the wrist."

"When morning came our men thought we were Germans and you should have heard them swear. When they later discovered who we were we were at once put into khaki uniforms and sent to a hospital at Noyon."

If London Were Paris

Many Persons Appear to Be Still Unaware That There Is a War Going On

If millions of Germans provided every means of scientific brutality, were holding our coal fields, iron mines and chief cotton towns, as well as hundreds of miles of our railways, were firing on London with long-range guns, only forty-six miles from the Strand and Piccadilly, many persons in this country who appear to be still unaware that there is a war going on might at first realize the facts. If hundreds of thousands of refugees were pouring into London from the invaded home countries, if there were scores of bombardments nearly every night instead of only occasionally; if the Germans, already nearer to London than is Brighton, were drawing closer and closer still—the men of military age who are hiding in government offices, on the farms and elsewhere would be there, and once thrown into the thick of the war, the opinion of the thousands of lusty young farmers and farmers' sons who, up to the present, have been allowed to skulk while the business of the world has been being destroyed by their being called to arms. If England were France—France, with a huge wound in her side that has been bleeding for four years—the Corpus Christi day and other follies of our government would meet with something more than a murmur of disapproval from the people. We are so far removed from the horrors of war, that our feelings and imaginations are not stirred as are those of our splendid and patient allies—the French.

From the London Daily Mail.

Shortage of Fruit

Picking of Wild Berries Is Urged on Canadians

The Canada food board calls upon people at summer resorts and residents in suitable areas to make an immediate drive on the wild berry patches. Small fruits in general are scarce this year, but the wild berries are as abundant as usual. In some parts of Canada, they constitute a rich source of food supply that in the past has been practically untapped. The main argument for gathering the wild berries freely is the shortage of butter in Europe. During the summer of 1918-19, butter was used extensively for butter and the finest flavored jam in the world is that which is made of wild berries.

Many good purposes and intentions lie in the churchyard.—Philip Henry.

Traitors and Social Pull

Should Be Fearless Criticism of Gift, of Favoritism, and of Privilege

Sir Auckland Geddes, minister of national service in the British government, in a speech in Manchester, used some very plain language about the objects in the exemption machinery provided by the British system. He said:

"The army was not getting the men it ought to get, because people said the procedure was not perfect. It was not perfect because it was human. One felt deeply for the men who were being taken, but the armies in the field had to be maintained, and the whole destiny of this country depended upon the reserves that we could place behind the armies for the months yet to come."

"There were many men being protected in the country, many being exempted, whose removal from civil life would not lead to a catastrophe. There were many men being protected by the exemption machinery. These were friends of the members of those tribunals. (A voice—'And of the house of commons.') He did not say that they were exempted, but that they were using the social pull to protect their young healthy sons were traitors, absolutely playing the game of the enemy."

"Not only were our armies short of men through their action, but they were creating a feeling that there was no equal business, and that some men had a pull, and privilege, and power. He was afraid this was what some of the tribunals in the country were allowing them to have. Only public opinion could root that out. No regulation and no orders could do it. They might change their personnel, but the only thing that could eradicate that sort of evil was the determination of the men and women of the country that these things should be done fairly. Where they had knowledge that these things were not done fairly let them stand up and say, 'This is not fair,' and by putting their finger on the spot, show where the unfairness was. It could not be done by any government department, but by criticism, by the creation of a public opinion, they could make it impossible for these things to happen. The only way democracy could govern was that there should be fearless criticism of gift, of favoritism, and of privilege."

China Unconquerable

Would Drive Out the Invaders or They Would Drive One Another Off

It was a Chinese official at Peking who first gave me the sense that China is unconquerable and conquering. I had gone to this official to ask certain questions concerning political affairs. He had listened quietly and patiently to my questions, and then he said, "I have no illusions concerning the present situation. If the worst comes to the worst," he concluded, "we shall invite Japan to conquer us."

I stared. "Invite Japan? That would be the end of China?"

He smiled indulgently. "You people of the west are so impatient, so—may I say?—immediate. There can be no end of China."

"Why are you so impatient, so—may I say?—immediate. There can be no end of China."

"We are unconquerable, as we call him, do? He can make money out of us and for us, and he can rule us for a time; but he cannot absorb us. He can make money out of us and for us, and he can rule us for a time; but he cannot absorb us. He can make money out of us and for us, and he can rule us for a time; but he cannot absorb us."

"I would give the Japanese just fifty years of control; then they would go the way of the Manchus."

In the end, he said, "The little island folk would succumb to the continental people. And the same if Europe were ever to divide China into provinces, bound by disputes, wars between these hasty nations, and in the quiet fullness of time China, educated and drilled, would come into being again."

Either she would drive out the invaders or they would drive one another off, as Japan drove out Russia and Germany.

"No," he declared, "China may be overrun, but in the end will be triumphant. We are no doubt the weakest and most unpolitical of nations, but we are unconquerable."

A century hence China at home and China beyond the sea may not improbably consist of a capable, energetic, intelligent and highly trained population of five or eight or even ten hundreds of millions. With wealth, internal cohesion and a grip on modern economic and social methods, how can such a nation remain in permanent subjection? What happens to its conquerors, if conquerors there be, other than to be quietly swallowed up in this measureless yellow sea?—W. P. Wey, in Harper's Magazine.

School Population of Alberta

A gain of about 8,000 in the school population of Alberta will be shown by the figures for the year 1917, which are now being compiled by the department of education.

The report gave a total enrolment in the public and high schools of the province for 1916, of 99,201, and it is expected that the new total will be something over 108,000. The increase over the preceding year is regarded as more than satisfactory. Officials of the department are now disengaged to look on it as remarkable, under war-time conditions.

WHAT BRITAIN'S PART IN THE WAR HAS MEANT FOR ALL THE WORLD

REALITY OF THE POWER OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE

Lloyd George Tells the Dominion Premiers Something About the Work Accomplished By the Empire In Its Fight Against The Powers of Autocracy

Maxim Gorky On the Bolsheviki

Regard the People as Material for Social Experiments

Maxim Gorky is far from satisfied with the present Bolsheviki regime in Russia, and he has recently dealt it a body blow in his organ, Novaya Shina ("New Life"). In the course of this article he said:

"Terrible is the lot of our youth in this curse-laden land. We have been trying since the '80s of the century with the heads of our youth to batter down the walls of autocracy. For fifty years Russian youths have destroyed physically thousands of the young. The revolution, which developed itself without enthusiasm, cannot train men of strong character, only continues the destruction of our youth. I know that the crazy dogmatists are indifferent about the future of our people. They regard the people as material for social experiments. I know that they are inaccessible to thoughts and sentiments that live in the soul of every true democrat—and I am not speaking for the youth. But has the whole democracy lost its senses? Are there really no longer men who, under the feeling of horror at these incidents, are removing these crazy sectarians from their midst?"

Belgium Not a Pawn

Hertling's Views in the Reichstag Denounced as "Scandalous and Unacceptable"

Count von Hertling's reference to Belgium as a "pawn" to be used in the peace negotiations has outraged French opinion. An official despatch from Paris says:

"The French newspapers point out how scandalous and unacceptable are the declarations of Chancellor von Hertling on the subject of Belgium. Germany has committed one of the most serious errors in history against that country. Failing in an oath solemnly taken, she threw herself upon a small and loyal people. No state can ever reign as long as this crime has not been atoned for in a complete and unmistakable manner."

"Count von Hertling dares to declare that Belgium, this victim of inexcusable aggression, is a pawn in the hands of Germany. The Main bridges his language in these terms:

"Bethmann-Hollweg, when in August, 1914, he acknowledged the wrong done to Belgium, stated: 'We shall make good our wrongs without making this reparation depend on any conditions.' That was because he thought Germany was bound to make good her wrongs. He did not suspect that the allies would one day have such powerful trumps in their hands against her. We are obliged to point out that Hertling's language in respect to Belgium shows, if it were possible, a lowering, from a moral point of view, compared with that of Bethmann-Hollweg. To make the fruits of a forfeit an object of merchandise is a stroke of ignominious policy. Nevertheless, seen from another point of view, these declarations mark Germany's first step of recognition, not of the right of people, but of the force of their adversaries."

Must Not Burn Straw

New Order in Council Aims to Conserve Feed for Livestock

In view of the very serious situation developing in Canada and Saskatchewan as a result of the low level of stock is concerned, particularly for next winter, an order in council has been passed prohibiting the burning of all straw stacks remaining over from last year in the three prairie provinces.

This action is taken under the war measures act.

Big Prices Received for Wool

The returns for the first shipments of wool made by the members of the Southern Alberta Wool Growers' Association have just been received. The prices realized are higher than last year's and make sheep raising one of the most remunerative branches of farming in Western Canada. One shipper received an average price of 74½ cents a pound on four cases of wool, and another 100,000 pounds that were sold, another received an average price of 71½ cents on a car of wool. As high as 78½ cents a pound was obtained for fine medium staple wool.

In this war the British empire has disappointed its foes, disappointed them sadly, bitterly, angrily. Let us be quite candid: the British empire has surprised its friends.

In the early days of the war the British fleet cleansed the seas of the craft of the foe, and when a new and more terrible danger was upon us, a deadly peril that glides under the surface of the waters, the British fleet in the main dealt with that (Cheers.)

What we have done on land as an empire is something new, not merely in the history of our empire, but in that of any other empire that ever existed. There has never been anything quite like the British empire, and nothing in the least like what it has accomplished during the last four years. Britain had a small army—I think it was about the size of the Bulgarian army. (Laughter.) The dominions had hardly an army at all. Britain, including those who were under arms when war was declared, has raised—the United Kingdom has raised—nearly six millions of men (Cheers.)

The dominions, with nothing like the same population, the nearest of them thousands of miles away from the scene of conflict; they do not hear guns throbbing as you can hear them from our shores; they have raised a million. (Cheers.) These men in the United Kingdom and the dominions have been raised mostly since the war began. They have been raised, equipped, trained and sent into the battlefield, all under fire, and what manner of men they have been! (Cheers.)

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FRIDAY, AUGUST the 23rd, 1918

Note and Comment

Telegrams and petitions have been sent in to the C. P. R. officials and to the Railway Commission urging that the daily express, which was discontinued last week, be put on this line again between here and Lacombe, instead of stopping at Coronation. With the water tank, coal bunkers and a "Y" at Monitor, there is no reason why the express should not make the run to this point, daily.

The Song of the Shirt

(New Version)

Itch — Itch — Itch!
Through shelling, hunger and dirt
A soldier sat in dishabille,
Picking away at his shirt.

It's sometimes the bomb from above
And sometimes the mine from below,
The gas and flame and whiz-bang
The Germans with ardor bestow.

The rats squeak and rustle and bite,
The mud is a bottomless pit,
But the Greys, the Reds, the Blacks
Are constantly "doing their bit."

Bite — Bite — Bite!
In mass formation they come,
And bite, bite, bite,
By threes, by twos, by one.

So it's pick, pick, pick!
And still their numbers come;
And catch, catch, catch,
With busy finger and thumb.

With Keating's powder strong,
And anti-vermin belt
We strive to hold them off,
We seek to save our pelt.

But it's scratch, scratch, scratch,
From moor till dewy eve;
And rub, rub, rub,
Till we're willing to believe.

That of all we have to bear
And of all we have to fight,
The grey-back legions are the worst
By day, and eke by night.

So when the war is o'er,
And home we all have come,
We'll surely have the lice
Altho' we've lost the Hun.

We love them just as much,
Their habits are the same
But they'll outlast the Teuton bugs
In this or any game.

The "League of Nations," may
Impose peace on the world,
But the creepy armies will still
Wage war
Where'er a flag's unfurled.

In Egypt's early days
They shared with first-born slain
The honor of a "plague"—
That place they still retain.

So it's scratch, scratch, scratch!
And ever will be so
The lion and lamb may lie in peace,
But there'll always be this foe.

Canada is saving sugar at the
rate of more than 100,000 tons
per annum as compared with a
year ago.

The Canadian Pacific Railway announces that it will award a \$500 silver cup for the best bushel of hard spring wheat exhibited at the International Soil-Products Exposition at Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 16-26, 1918. All farmers in the West who have good hard spring wheat should be interested in this announcement and it is hoped that among them will be found the successful competitor.

Wheat has become a vital factor in the conduct of the war and the Railway Company hopes in this way to encourage production of the best varieties. At the same time it is hoped this competition will focus attention upon the immense food-producing possibilities of Western Canada.

Particulars as to the exhibit may be had from R. J. C. Stead, Publicity Agent, C. P. R., Calgary.

Canada is now exporting over 4,000,000 pounds of butter each year.

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Blufekley C. E.
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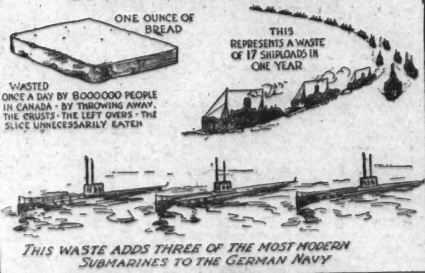
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Publicity and the Meat Industry

The Light Is Now To Be Turned On

The president's proclamation requiring owners of stockyards to live stock commission men to take out licenses under direction of the secretary of agriculture is presumably a step toward compelling full publicity in the whole meat industry. To take over the industry for government management would involve endless complications and difficulties without giving more play to the regulative force of publicity than the license system now adopted. And publicity is the needful thing. Neither speculation nor manipulation of the markets nor extortion or profiteering can possibly thrive in the country's meat supply except in the dark. The light is now to be turned on.—From the New York World.

SUMMER HEAT HARD ON BABY

No season of the year is so dangerous to the life of little ones as is the summer. The excessive heat robs the little stomach out of order so quickly that unless prompt aid is at hand, the baby may be beyond all human help before the mother realizes he is ill. Summer is the season when diarrhoea, cholera infantum, dysentery and colic are most prevalent. Any of these troubles may prove deadly if not promptly treated. During the summer the mother's best friend is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach and keep baby healthy. The Tablets are sold by all dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Medicine to Cure
"Make Prussia hate war," says Secretary Lansing. Sure! Give the Prussians and all other Germans so much of war that they will not talk war or think war for at least a century. A southern contemporary suggests that the way to accomplish this is to "rearrange the Prussian landscape so as to make it harmonize with the landscape of Belgium and northern France." If that is the only way, it will be done.—New York Herald.

St. Joseph, Lewis, July 14, 1903.
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An Irresistible Temptation to Kill
If the long course of submarine warfare has proved nothing else, it has proved that any ship, whether it carries women and children, or wounded men, or prisoners, or physicians or nurses—classes always hitherto exempt from attack—arouses in the German seamen an irresistible temptation to kill. That is why the indictment of civilization against Germany becomes every day more formidable.—From the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Fully Equipped
Wife (as husband starts for the office)—Have you everything, dear?
Husband—Yes, season ticket, registration card, sugar, butter and tea, ration card, meat card, bread card, ratch card and tobacco card.—Bylander.

Two-thirds of the German doctors are in the army.

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The Naval Situation

Enemy Has Been Thrown Back on a Policy of Evasion

Drawing to its conclusion" his article on "The North Sea and Beyond." In The Fortnightly Review, Archibald Huxley writes:
"Before the peace was broken in the summer of 1914, the majority of the people of these islands were impressed by the double peril of invasion and starvation, through the influence exerted by an enemy's surface ships. How do we stand in those respects? The German men-of-war, which were thought to menace our island security, dare not stir beyond the gun and mine-protected wet triangle of Heligoland. The enemy has been thrown back on a policy of evasion, employing the submarine and the mine, and making 'tip-and-run' excursions. Those are considerations which may, perhaps with advantage, be borne in mind at a moment when, owing to the collapse of Russia, the naval situation has undergone a change calculated to test British nerve."

"The incidents or losses due to submarine action may occur more frequently. The officers of the board of admiralty may be changed, but whatever the variations made from time to time in the personal equation, ashore or afloat, naval war must be fought in accordance with immemorial principles, and in those principles persist, however impatient public opinion may be. The sea drama is always slow, as the twenty years of the Revolutionary and Napoleonic wars remind us, and always will be slow, because the weaker enemy possesses, as he has always possessed, the facility of hiding in defended ports, with the initiative at his command, in the meantime resorting to evasive operations, such as raids and attacks on commerce. "As Admiral Mahan has declared: 'The control of the sea, however real, does not imply that a single ship or small squadrons cannot steal out of port, cannot cross more or less frequented tracts of ocean, make harassing descents upon unprotected points of a long coastline, enter blockaded harbors. On the contrary, history has shown that such operations are always possible, to some extent, to the weaker party, however great the inequality of naval strength.'"

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Naturalized Imposters
Commenting on the denaturalizing of a German-born man in Passaic County, New Jersey, who had frequently expressed the hope that Germany will win, the New York Herald says:
"The principle established is of large importance. There are dozens in this land persons far more dangerous who have shown by their acts that they obtained citizenship papers with the same mental reservation and by the same kind of fraud (secret allegiance to the country of his birth). If American citizenship is to receive the protection it deserves the principle of the court's decision will be applied to those others, and without delay."

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A True Canadian

Canada Has Every Reason To Be Proud of Dr. Beland
A notable place among the Canadian heroes of the war is filled by Hon. Dr. Beland. During the first months of the conflict and when Belgium was overrun by the Huns he ministered faithfully to the needs of the wounded. He could have retreated with the Belgians, but did not do so. He preferred to stay by his patients, and the result was to be taken prisoner by the Germans. He was removed to Berlin and for three long years was in a prison. While there he was not idle, but assisted the regular physician in the treatment of other prisoners, mostly Russian Poles. Except at long intervals Dr. Beland was not allowed outside the prison walls. Even was he not permitted to see his wife during her illness and death. Despite all Dr. Beland retained his nobleness of disposition. Canada has every reason to feel proud over such a hero. He is certain to receive a warm welcome on his return and to retain the place of respect in the hearts of his fellow-citizens of all denominations and all races.—Brockville Recorder and Times.

Maybe Good Luck

Follows This Sign

Letter "B" on Oat Blades in Scarborough and Markham Townships

Throughout Scarborough and Markham township in Ontario, on every oat blade there is embossed the letter "B." Many are the conjectures as to what this stands for and one of the most popular beliefs is that this is the first letter of Britain, for whom the oats are being grown to win the war.

Some people evidence a superstitious feeling and are expecting great good luck from this sign. It is stated that only once before, and that in 1901, has the phenomenon been observed in this locality and that time it was taken to mean Boers. The same year Scarborough was one of the best oat crops in its history. The same phenomenon has been observed in Brant county.

LIFT YOUR CORNS OFF WITH FINGERS

How to loosen a tender corn or callus with your fingers without pain

Let folks step on your feet hereafter; wear shoes a size smaller if you like, for corns will never again send electric sparks of pain through you, according to this Cincinnati authority.

He says that a few drops of a drug called freezezone, applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, instantly relieves soreness, and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out.

This drug dries at once and simply shrivels up the corn or callus without even irritating the surrounding tissue.

A small bottle of freezezone obtained at a drug store will cost very little but will positively remove every hard or soft corn of callus from one's feet.

If your druggist hasn't stocked this new drug yet, tell him to get a small bottle of freezezone for you from his wholesale drug house.

An Unfortunate Example

A mining expert one of the witnesses called in an important case was under cross-examination by a rather young and conceited barrister. The question asked to the form that ore was found in.

"Now, Mr. B," said the counsel, "how large are these lumps? You know they are, oblong—are they as long as my head?"

"Yes," replied Mr. B., "but not as thick." The barrister subsided after that.—The Argonaut.

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Comfort For the Horse

Make the Horse Worth More as a Source of Farm Power

A piece of burlap or a gunny sack ripped open and tied over the harness makes a cheap fly blanket that will add 100 per cent. to the horse's comfort when the heat gets bad.

The only way the horse has to keep the flies off is with its tail and nose. The horse cannot reach its back with either tail or nose, when harnessed and hitched, so give it a square deal by covering its back, and rump and sides, too.

This need not keep anyone from indulging in fancy fly nets, expensive leather ones or carefully fitted and hemmed ones. But for the practical farmer there is nothing more sensible for a fly net for horses than a burlap blanket tied over the harness with short lute strings.

The blanket can be replaced a time or two during the summer and as the edges fray out trim them with shears. Sut a blanket on the body and the liberal use of "fly knocker" applied with an inexpensive hand sprayer, to the horse's belly and legs will make the horse worth more as a source of farm power.

You can make a good fly knocker out of a quart of pine tar, a pint of crude carbolic acid, and two and one-half gallons of kerosene mixed together.

For Sprains and Bruises—There is nothing better for sprains and contusions than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It will reduce the swelling that follows sprain, will cool the inflamed flesh and draw the pain as if by magic. It will take the ache out of a bruise and prevent the flesh from discoloring. It seems as if there was magic in it so speedily does the injury disappear under treatment.

Fugitives From Germany

It should not be necessary to remind those who read with interest certain accounts of the bad food and low morale making despair and sullenness in both civil and army ranks in Germany, that the authorities of such tales are subject to suspicion. German soldiers and college professors who "escape" from their country in boats and airplanes, landing safely in neutral countries should be asked to supplement their volunteered stories with specific accounts of how they secured airplanes from closely guarded hangars, boats in closely watched ports, safely to proceed to enemy news gathering headquarters.—New York Sun.

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C. P. R. Engine From Moose Jaw Doing Great Work at Amiens

Roland Hill writes from France as follows:

From Moose Jaw to Amiens is a far cry, yet during the German offensive there was an old Canadian Pacific engine which had done its duty in both places. It is still running along these new lines in France and is entitled to a locomotive wounded stripe, for it was a casualty during the recent heavy fighting. Manned by a Canadian crew, this mogul from the prairies did consistently good work until a fragment of a shell laid it out. Now it has been through the casualty clearing shop for engines and is running steadily.

The Canadian railway operating companies did their own little share in frustrating the Hun attack. One Canadian engine was attached to a long ammunition train which was caught when the enemy shelled and bombed a narrow tunnel through which many trains had to pass at that time. The crew stayed with the train and when morning and peace dawned found two dead engines and an empty train ahead of them on a track that even a construction train would not dare. These Canadians pushed the engines ahead of them and into a much bombed siding, then ran their own train along a sky line, and the Huns had observation on, and into their appointed dump in a little sheltered valley.

Some of the railway operating crews worked thirty-six hours at a stretch during the crisis and took tremendous chances but always came through with luck. One engine after two "solid days" work hauled fifty trucks and four dead engines back to safety over a congested track.

The case with which corns and warts can be removed by Holloway's Corn Cure is a recommendation. It seldom fails.

The Wisdom of Bennie

"My boy Bennie is lazy, but I must say he is smart," said the musician. "Is he going to follow in your footsteps?"
"No, I learned to play the trombone, and I've got to make about eight miles every time there is a parade. Bennie is learning the harp, so they will have to let him sit down."—Montreal Herald.

SMOKE TACKETTS
T&B CUT

Eat less Bread

A Sound Objection
Professor Nutworthy—No, sir, I'm strongly opposed to the English accent, using the broad "a."
Professor Bugge—And why, may I ask?
Professor Nutworthy—Last night when I was being introduced to my audience by the substitution of my facile brain and every one thought he said "fossil brain."—Lethbridge Herald.

Minard's Liniment for Sale Everywhere

More Fish Used
The Canada food board campaign to increase fish consumption is having results. In the Canadian army 200,000 pounds of beef were saved in the month of May, and approximately the same amount in the month of June, by the substitution of fish. In the west a train load of flat fish every few days from Prince Rupert is sold at popular prices under the auspices of the Canada food board. In Toronto recently 100,000 pounds of mackerel were sold within one week as the result of a special campaign.

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BUSY BIDEFORD

On Saturday last an excellent chicken supper was served by the Kirriemuir Ladies Aid in the Big Hall. Despite war-time and all kinds of food regulations, everyone enjoyed a substantial repast. The Bideford visitors who were present pronounced the cooking excellent, they also greatly admired the embroidered aprons made from flour sacks at a cost of 15 cents for trimming. The Kirriemuir Ladies are enthusiasts at whatever they undertake. It is a source of inspiration to rub shoulders with these war workers who, tho so far from the scenes of battlefields, have the welfare of our boys 'over there' at heart and are doing their bit by sending over abundant Red Cross supplies.

Mr. Swanson was the fortunate winner of the Red Cross Chickens recently raffled off at Proctors. As this is an excellent way of raising funds we shall be very glad if anyone will donate another pair to the Red Cross. Thanks are due to Mrs. Rexer for the kind donation, also to Mrs. Townsend the first winner.

Miss Inkster returned to school this week and was heartily welcomed by her pupils and friends who thought she was looking remarkably well after her vacation at home.

Mrs. Watson, who had been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morley of Bideford, died on Thursday from heart failure. Mrs. Watson had been in delicate health for some time but was feeling well enough to attend the Sunday school picnic held recently and enjoy watching the sports. The funeral took place at Compoer on Friday Rev. Brett officiating.

Margaret Conquest who sat for her full third exam at Regina College received the welcome news that she had passed. Congratulations were wired from friends in Regina, and Margaret's holiday extended another month.

Mrs. Harle, of Wheatheaf School is leaving the district having received a better appointment. Mrs. Harle is universally esteemed and will be greatly missed by all.

The Ladies Aid of Compoer are contemplating joining forces with Bideford in Red Cross activities. This amicable arrangement will make for efficiency and the Bideford ladies cordially welcome the suggestion.

B is for our boys who fight for the right, Intrepid and daring, they mean to hold tight. Dear to our hearts are the sick ones in bed. Each mother's son his life blood has shed. Folks, will you help our branch do its bit. O, Tommy'll bless you, ye ones who knit. Red Cross needs your money, don't be slack. Dollars & dimes pay good dividends back.

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If wishes were automobiles beggars would kick for airships.

The worst thing about being a hero is trying to look the part.

After a man has been disappointed in love he develops into a first class cynic.

Fortunate is the man who possesses a full set of good habits.

Children are happy because they have not learned the art of being miserable.

Don't interrupt a miser at his devotion. He may have to count his money all over again.

The man who grasps at all opportunities to make money sometimes pays dearly for the privilege of letting go.

A great many soldiers in the army of the unemployed seem to think it dishonorable to desert and go to work.

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He went off, but Foster felt satisfied that he was safe with him, and presently strolled round to the peat stack where he sat down in the sun. There was a hollow where the peats had been pulled out, and the brown dust was warm and dry. Lighting his pipe, he began to think. He was being watched, but whether by the police, or Daly, or somebody else, there was nothing to show. He did not think his poaching adventure had much to do with it, but he had taken the packet to Newcastle, although he had been warned against this. There was a mystery about the pack-

For a time he got no further, and as he sat, gazing vaguely across the moor, the sun went behind a cloud and the freshening wind whistled round the stacks of peat. Then Foster's pipe burned out, but he did not move. Hitherto he had been working in the dark, feeling for a clue, but he began to see a glimmer of light and presently clenched his fist with an exclamation. The light dawned on him in an illuminating flash.

He had been tricked and made a fool. Carmen had acted by her father or somebody else's orders when she gave him the packet, and the man in Edinburgh had enclosed something before he sent him on to Newcastle. Nobody would suspect him and that was why he had been entrusted with the packet in Canada. It was now clear that he had been made use of to carry the stolen bonds to Great Britain. Carmen, of course, knew nothing about them, but had been influenced by Daly. Perhaps she was in love with him, but the meantime this did not matter. Foster filled his pipe again, because he meant to solve the puzzle while the light was clear and his brain was working well.

Alice Featherstone had given him the first hint of the truth when she suggested that the packet was somehow connected with his being watched and Daly's pursuit of Lawrence. Of course it was. The police had not much ground for suspecting him, but he had come to England without any obvious business, and if Hulton or his agents had warned them, they would inquire about strangers from Canada. Then he began to see why Daly was determined to find Lawrence.

Fred Hulton had been robbed and killed and Daly was implicated in the crime, if he had not committed it himself. The fellow's first object was not blackmail; he meant to use his power over Lawrence to ensure his secrecy. Lawrence was the only person who had seen the murderer. It could not have been clear if he had mistaken him for the watchman or not when he had happened to pay office at the factory, and as long as a doubt remained Lawrence was the greatest danger the gang had to reckon on. Foster felt sure there was a gang. Admitting all this, one could see why Daly meant to find his partner, but he began to think of something else.

He had been easily deceived and the plotters no doubt thought him a fool. Suppose he took advantage of their belief and asked for an answer to his message or something of the kind? He might by good luck get a letter or find out enough about there to explain what had happened in Canada. The vague plan appealed to him strongly. He was savage at the way he had been tricked, and it would be something to circumvent the people who had made him a fool. Besides, he could not go to the police yet; Lawrence's secret must be kept. He must first of all gain such a hold on Daly as would render him powerless to injure his comrade. After that, when he knew how far the man was implicated in the robbery, he could decide what ought to be done. Well, he would go to Newcastle and see Graham, to whom he had given the packet, but he might need help and thought he knew where to find it. Getting up he knew a quick, resolute movement, he went back to the house.

"I'm going to write to Pete and bring him here," he said to the woman. "I don't suppose you'll turn out before he comes."

She gave him a quick, searching glance, and her husband seemed to leave the matter to her.

"For a' his poaching, ye'll find

Pate an honest man," she answered meaningly.

"So am I; it's an honest man I want. You have trusted me and I'll trust you as far as I can when Pete arrives. Shall we leave it until then?"

The woman nodded. "Ye can stay until we ken what yer business is."

"Thank you," said Foster, who sat down to write to Pete. He thought her judgment would be just, if she had not already decided in his favor. Until he came to Scotland, he had never met people who could say so little and mean so much. Moreover, he imagined one could depend upon their standing by all that they implied. They were taciturn but staunch.

XV. The Glove

Pete arrived in the evening when it was getting dark, and after the meal, which they ate together. Foster moved his chair back from the table and sat opposite to his companion. A lamp was burning and the red glow from the peat fire fell on their rough clothing and quiet brown faces as they looked at him to speak. He admitted that what he was about to do was rash. He had no logical reason for trusting these people, and perhaps no right to involve them in his difficulties, while the sensible course would be to put the matter in the hands of the police. But that was a course he did not mean to take.

"I sent for you because I want your help and I'm willing to pay for it," he said to Pete. "Just that," Pete answered quietly. "In an ordinary way, I'm no ver-r-ry particular, but before I take the money I'd like to ken how it's to be earned."

"As a matter of fact, you won't get all of it until it is earned and I see how much the job is worth. In the meantime, you can judge, and if necessary go to the police." Pete grinned. "They're no' the kind o' folk for a' handin' a' frack!" "What for are ye hidin' frack them?" the woman asked. Foster saw that the others' eyes were fixed on him and he must, to some extent, satisfy their curiosity. He did not think that he could have convinced conventional Englishmen, or perhaps Canadians, but these Scots were different. They were certainly not less shrewd than the others, but while sternly practical in their ways they had imagination; moreover, they were descendants of the Border cattle thieves.

"I'm not really hiding from the police, but from people who have better grounds for fearing them. I owe nobody anything and, so far as I know, have done nobody wrong."

"Credit me with a moment or two and he recognized that his statement was very incomplete, but somehow thought the others did not discredit it.

"If I could tell you the whole story, I would, but that's impossible just now," he resumed. Other people, honorable, but that people are involved. Of course, the thing looks suspicious, and you know nothing about me, but what I mean to do is not against the law."

(To Be Continued.)

An Excellent Sheep Exhibit

Production of Sheep With a Minimum of Cost to the Producer

Those who have watched the development of the sheep industry in Canada since the late 19th century are encouraged by the show of sheep at the Edmonton exhibition. Twenty car loads, containing three hundred and twenty-five sheep, crowded the pens to capacity, the animals being the best ever seen at the Alberta capital.

The conditions of the country are all that is needed for the production of sheep with a minimum of cost to the producer, and a steady improvement in the quality of the stock is noted this year. When the need for the production of both food and clothing are so urgent as they are at the present time, there is every inducement for still further progress of growing wool and mutton, especially in a country where the conditions are so favorable as in Western Canada.

The Last Waterloo Veteran

Canada claimed the last survivor of the combatants on the British side at Waterloo—Lieutenant Maurice Shea, who died at Sherbrooke, province of Quebec, in 1892, aged 98. Shea was a corporal in the 3rd Foot, and won a commission by his heroic conduct on the historic day. When wars were over he went to Canada, but until his 90th year never failed to to celebrate the Waterloo anniversary in his new home. — London Daily Chronicle.

Wool From Alberta

On July 5th twenty-five cars of wool had already been shipped from this district to the new co-operative company. This compares with the price about half the wool clip of Southern Alberta. Many thousands head of sheep are being sent to summer range in the mountains.

The First to Arrive

Fishbush—Anything showed up in your garden yet?
Bensonhurst—Sure! Two hens and a duck.—Yonkers Statesman.

SMOKE-TICKETTS

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Bigger Crops

Under Irrigation

Irrigation and Dry Farming Methods are Compared

In Southern Alberta both irrigation and dry farming methods are practised with success. Under both methods crops are obtained which for yield and for quality compare favorably with those grown in any other part of the continent. Experience has shown, however, that where it is possible to practise both methods side by side invariably larger yields are obtained on irrigated lands.

At the Canadian Government Experimental Farm at Lethbridge both irrigated and dry farming methods are followed. Each year tests are made with various crops on both dry and irrigated land in order to ascertain which crops are most suitable to local conditions. Last year six kinds of wheat were grown under irrigation, and fourteen kinds on non-irrigated lands. The wheat grown on the irrigated land gave an average yield of 49 bushels to the acre, that grown on non-irrigated land, 27 bushels to the acre. Hutton wheat gave the highest yield under irrigation; 58 bushels to the acre, as against 27 bushels on non-irrigated land. The highest yield on non-irrigated lands was 31 bushels to the acre, this being the yield of "Bobs" wheat, a new kind, which was not tried under irrigation. Marquis yielded 28 bushels on non-irrigated land, compared with 48 bushels on irrigated land. Both these wheats are remarkably good yielders on dry land, and it should be said in fairness that last year was an exceptionally dry one in the Lethbridge district. Red Fife gave a yield of 57 bushels under irrigation and only 26 bushels on non-irrigated land. Another heavy yielder under irrigation was Pioneer wheat, which yielded 51 bushels to the acre, as compared with 25 bushels to the acre on non-irrigated land. The length of the straw and the yield of the straw per acre was also much greater in the crops grown on irrigable land than on those grown under dry farming methods.

Oats, barley, potatoes, beets and other crops also gave larger yields under irrigation. Five varieties of oats yielded an average of nearly 100 bushels to the acre under irrigation, while seven varieties which were grown on non-irrigable lands gave an average yield of 52 bushels to the acre. Danish Cavalier, which gave a yield of 108 bushels on irrigable and non-irrigable land, 133 bushels to the acre being obtained on the former, and 60 bushels on the latter. Banner oats yielded 128 and 56 bushels per acre on irrigable and non-irrigable land respectively.

Eleven varieties of barley were grown. With this crop some varieties gave better yields on non-irrigable land. The highest yield was obtained with Swedish Cavalier, which gave 82 bushels under irrigation, and 40 bushels on non-irrigable land. Another well known variety, California, yielded 80 bushels to the acre under irrigation and 41 under dry farming methods.

Root crops do exceeding well under irrigation. The yields of carrots

at Lethbridge last year averaged nearly 20 tons to the acre. Four kinds of sugar beets averaged 13 tons to the acre, while the average yield of potatoes was nearly 500 bushels, or more than twice as high as on the adjoining dry land.

But the chief value of the irrigable lands of Southern Alberta does not lie in their capacity to produce large crops of grain and roots, important as this is. The suitability of these lands for raising large crops of fodder, to support large herds of all kinds of live stock is their greatest advantage. Across the Lethbridge district of Southern Alberta grows more alfalfa than any other parts of Canada.

It will be seen from the figures quoted that while very profitable crops are grown on non-irrigable land, even in a dry season, much better results are obtained where it is possible to get water on the land.

Disposal of Old Hens and Breeding Stock Early

Sell Off All Hens Over Two Years Old

As soon as the breeding season is over, get rid of all male birds used in the breeding pens. When the egg yield drops in the early summer, when the egg yield does not pay for the feed, sell off all hens over two years old and even the year-olds culled pretty well. Poultry at this time of the year will bring a better price than later and feed and space will be saved for the best of the year-olds and the growing chicks. Old hens as a rule, especially of the heavier varieties do not pay for their feed in late summer eggs.

Sell the young cockerels whenever they are ready throughout the summer. Don't keep everything till the fall. Whenever the price is good, sell the cockerels as broilers or as small roasters.

In an experiment carried on at the Experimental Farm in the spring of 1917 with Leghorn chickens, the sale of the cockerels paid all expenses for incubation, brooding and feed for themselves and pullets up until the first of September. When the pullets went into winter quarters on November 1st, they had cost over and above what had been paid for the sale of the cockerels just 39 cents each. This experiment showed not only that it paid to sell the cockerels early, but it also demonstrated that pullets could be raised much cheaper than they could be bought in the fall.

Solitude Profound

Here is an extract from a hotel prospectus in Switzerland: "Veisbach is the favorite place of resort for those who are fond of solitude. Persons in search of it are in fact constantly flocking here from the four quarters of the globe."—The Argonaut.

First Food Controller

Sunday School Teacher—And what recommended Joseph P. Smith to the Egyptians from starvation? Smart Boy—Please, miss, he was made food controller.—Boston Transcript.

New Food Substitute

Believed Great Source of Supply Has Been Discovered

Thomas Myers and Dr. Roy Rutledge, London, have interviewed Dr. A. B. McCallum, chairman of the research commission, and Professor Rutan, expert chemist, and H. B. Thompson, chairman of the Canada food board, regarding a new food substitute, which they have perfected. Dr. McCallum asked these gentlemen to comply to Ottawa to discuss the new food and also took the matter up with Mr. Thompson.

Their proposition is to utilize the soy bean, which excels all cereals in food value. They can be grown cheaply in Canada and there also is a big supply in the United States. For centuries the bean has been used as human food in the far east. It was introduced into the states about 15 years ago. While high in food value, no attempt was made to make the bean suitable for western palates until the present time.

Samples of the various products, such as milk, condensed milk, evaporated milk, dried milk, malted milk substitutes, casine, breakfast food, invalids' food, infants' food, cocoa powder, chocolate liquor, flour, etc., were shown and sampled. They were found excellent substitutes, palatable to a high degree, and most nutritious. Dr. McCallum and Professor Rutan secured samples and expressed themselves as highly pleased with their quality. It is the feeling that a great source of food supply has been discovered which will release beef and wheat to the allies and at the same time provide cheap and suitable substitutes for human consumption.

Dr. McCallum has followed the experiments for some months, as has Professor Rutan and both are greatly impressed.

Much Industrial Activity at the Coast

Vancouver, British Columbia, is enjoying a period of considerable industrial prosperity at the present time. Every week since the beginning of the year a large increase in the bank clearing returns has been noted. For the month of June the figures were ten million dollars more than those of June last year, while for the first week in July there is an increase of \$2,600,000 over the returns of the corresponding week of last year.

The announcement has just been made of another addition to the many industries of the city in the shape of a large iron foundry. Construction has begun and when completed it is expected that 75 to 100 men will be permanently employed at the foundry.

Quite Consistent

A German agent in this city is charged with telling colored men (1) that "Germany loves negroes" and (2) that if we send them to France and the Kaiser's men catch them "the Germans would cut off their ears and arms and would dig their eyes out." This consistent Teuton has qualifications for a foreign secretary.—New York World.



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General Local News of The Town and District

Readers Can Make This Column
More Interesting By Informing
The Editor of Events Occur-
ing Hereabouts

Monitor Red Cross Society
meets every Friday afternoon,
at 2 p. m., in the Big Hall.

Miss J. E. Beaton has been
transferred to the Bank of
Commerce at Broderick, Sask.

Mrs. A. Baxter and two of
her daughters are visiting in
Calgary.

The regular meeting of the
Ladies Aid was held Wednes-
day at the home of Mrs. Vos-
burgh.

Harvesting is now on in sev-
eral localities, and many of the
farmers are using mowers this
year as the straw is too short
to cut with a binder.

The foundation of the new
C. P. R. water tank has been
completed and the woodwork
is now being erected.

Rev. W. S. Wickenden return-
ed from Prince Albert, last Fri-
day, where he attended the
Anglican Synod.

Geo. Smith was a passenger,
on Friday's express, as far as
Ponkuan. While George had
to 'hit the ties' on the return
trip he considered the time
well spent.

The Monitor Band supplied
the music at Coronation Fair,
yesterday.

A great many of the soldiers,
from this district, have been
been granted a six-weeks' fur-
lough.

The regular meeting of the
Ladies Aid will be held next
Wednesday at the home of Mrs.
Geo. Lucas.

J. C. Mayrs spent the week-
end in Calgary.

Sounding Lake U. F. A.

The general meeting of the
above Union will be held in the
Hillmanville School on Saturday
August 24th, at 8 p. m. All
members are requested to at-
tend.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Estate of Leon Casimir
Godfroi Benoit, late of the Post Office
of Monitor in the Province of Alberta,
Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all
persons having claims upon the Estate
of the late Leon Casimir Godfroi Benoit
who died on the 21st day of April,
A. D. 1918, are required to send to
Remi Benoit, Monitor, Alberta, on or
before the 28th day of September, A.
D. 1918, a full statement of their claims
and of any securities held by them,
duly verified, and that after that date
the said Remi Benoit will proceed to
distribute the assets of the deceased
among the parties entitled thereto,
having regard only to the claims of
which notice has been filed, with the
said Remi Benoit, Administrator of
the Estate.

Dated at Monitor this 29th day
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er granted under Section 208 of "The
Rural Municipalities Act" and by vir-
tue of By-Law No. 1 of the R. M. of
Stewart No. 302, Dated Aug. 6th 1918.
1 Sorrel Mare, white face, 3 white legs,
branded **M** on left shoulder.
1 Bay Horse, foretop clipped, branded
SU on left shoulder.
1 Bay yearling Colt, stripe in face, 3
white legs, branded **ZE** on left hip.
were impounded in the Pound kept by
the undersigned on the S. E. 1 Sec. 28-
33-5-w4, Monitor, on Monday Aug. 5th
1918. Ludwig Seeman, Poundkeeper
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" 6.00 " " 5.00

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